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Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed May 5, 2006 (Paper No. 041506), please enter the following amendments and consider the following remarks. Applicants note the present response is timely submitted on Monday, August 7, 2006 (as August 5 and 6 was a Saturday and Sunday, respectively). Applicants submit concurrently herewith: (a) **Exhibit A** – Multiple Sequence Alignment; (b) **Exhibit B** – Statement under 37 C.F.R. §1.821; **Exhibit C** – Mian et al., “Fully Human Anti-Interleukin 8 Antibody Inhibits Tumor Growth in Orthotopic Bladder Cancer Xenografts via Down-Regulation of Matrix Metalloproteases and Nuclear Factor-kB,” Clinical Cancer Research, 9:3167-3175 (2003); and (e) **Exhibit D** – Copy of the ATCC Deposit Receipt for Accession Number 209782.

- Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.
- Amendments to the Claims begin on page 6 of this paper.
- Remarks begin on page 10 of this paper.

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